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CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER

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QUALITY CONTROL BOARD

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John Muller, Chair
S.F. Bay Regional Water Board
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400
Oakland CA 94612

Dear Mr. Muller:

The San Francisco Bay is filled with trash. It destroys recreation, impacts water quality, and kills marine wildlife. The Board's proposed permit would require cities and counties to meet a cleanup level of 100 pieces of trash for every 100 feet in a trash "hot spot" – this does not go far enough. Our precious bay deserves the highest level of protection – zero trash!

Yours truly,

Marilyn McPherson
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